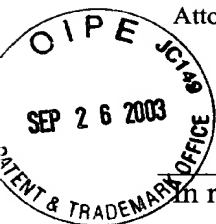


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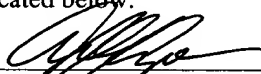
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Sir:

This communication is being filed in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under CFR 1.121(h), dated September 12, 2003, in connection with the subject application. The Notice provides a period of one month for filing a response. Therefore, a response is due October 12, 2003. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.